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To: Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir: Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Inventor: H. SATO et al (see attached)

For:  
OPTOELECTRONIC WAVEGUIDING DEVICE, STRUCTURAL  
BODY INCLUDING THE SAME, AND OPTICAL MODULE

Enclosed are:



8 Sheets of Drawings



This application is being filed without an executed Declaration.



Priority is claimed from Japanese Application No. 2002-247967 filed August 28, 2002.  A certified copy is attached herewith.



Copies of the disclosure documents listed on the attached PTO 1449 form and  discussed in the specification or  attached Information Disclosure Statement.



A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27.



Specification: Abstract  , Description 18 pages; and 8 claim(s).



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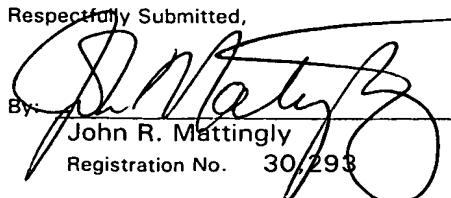


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